FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States
Department of
Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

DATE: August 28, 2006

BUYS: Purchase of Dehydrated Potatoes

THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA) REJECTS OFFERS OF DEHYDRATED POTATOES

USDA announced it has rejected offers received from vendors to sell dehydrated potatoes, 12/1 lb pkg, for distribution to the Needy Family and other domestic food assistance programs.

The rejected offers to sell were submitted in response to USDA's Announcement FV-308, Invitation 016 dated August 8, 2006.

Offers were rejected due to price considerations. A new invitation will be issued in the future.

Further information can be obtained from the Commodity Procurement Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Room 1406-South Building, Washington, DC 20250-0239, telephone (202) 720-4517 or the website at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.